



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : LEE et al. Confirmation No.: 9479
Appl. No. : 09/888,400
Filed : June 26, 2001
Title : Arc Welding Wire of High Feeding Performance and Wire Drawing
Method

TC/A.U. : 1725
Examiner : M. ELVE

Docket No.: LEEH3007/REF
Customer No. : 23364

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants request that the period for response to the outstanding official action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for TWO (2) months to August 28, 2003.

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) for a two month extension of time is \$410.00 and a check in this amount is submitted herewith. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension to Deposit Account No. 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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